

# Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

## Texas State Operations Center



### Situation Awareness Brief



Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> 2017  
As of 0900 CST

# Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

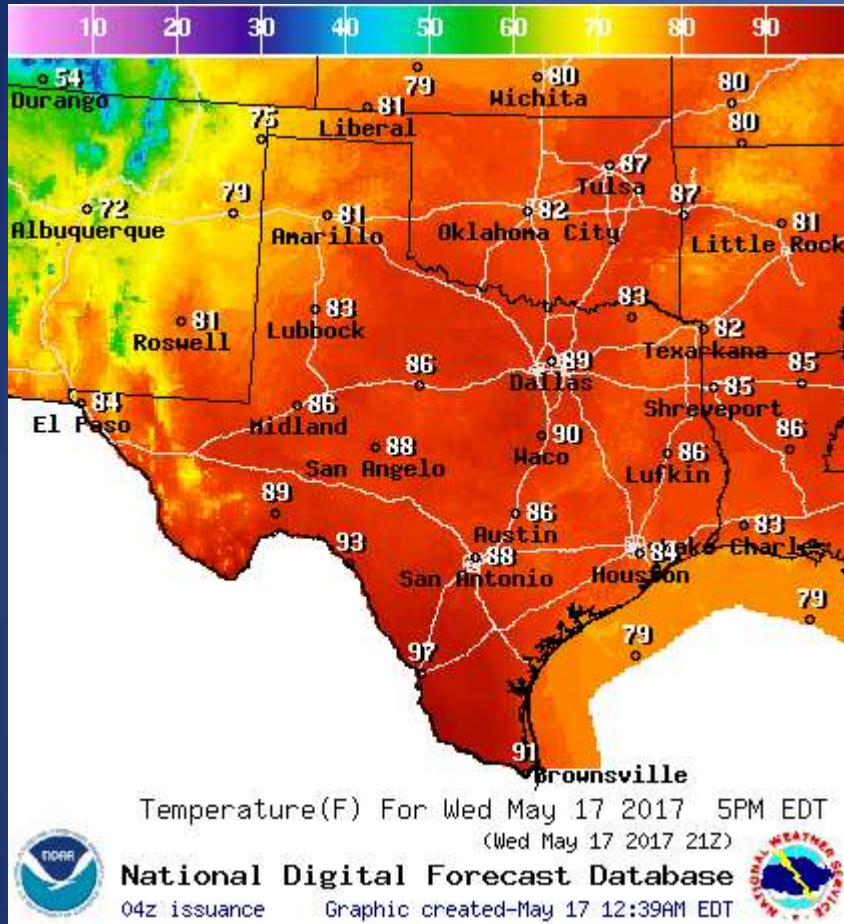
DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
05/16/17	Discontinued Silver Alert from Fredericksburg PD	Fredericksburg/ Gillespie County	Y
05/16/17	Silver Alert Activation for Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office	Fort Bend County	N

# Informational Products

## Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
05/16/17	NWS Austin/San Antonio- Strong to Severe Storms Possible Late Tonight Into Wednesday Morning and Again on Thursday
05/16/17	NWS Fort Worth- Update: Severe Thunderstorms Possible Late Tonight; More Active Weather Toward Week's End
05/16/17	NWS Norman- Public Information Statement- Ardmore NOAA Weather Radio Reduced Transmission
05/16/17	NWS West Gulf River Forecast Center- Forecast Update
05/16/17	NWS El Paso Public Information Statement
05/17/17	NWS Norman: Special NWS Norman Severe Weather Webinar TODAY at 10am,
05/17/17	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Wednesday, May 17, 2017 for FEMA Region 6,
05/17/17	NWS Shreveport- Lake Wind Advisory Today, Severe Weather Threat for May 18, 2017

# Weather Forecast

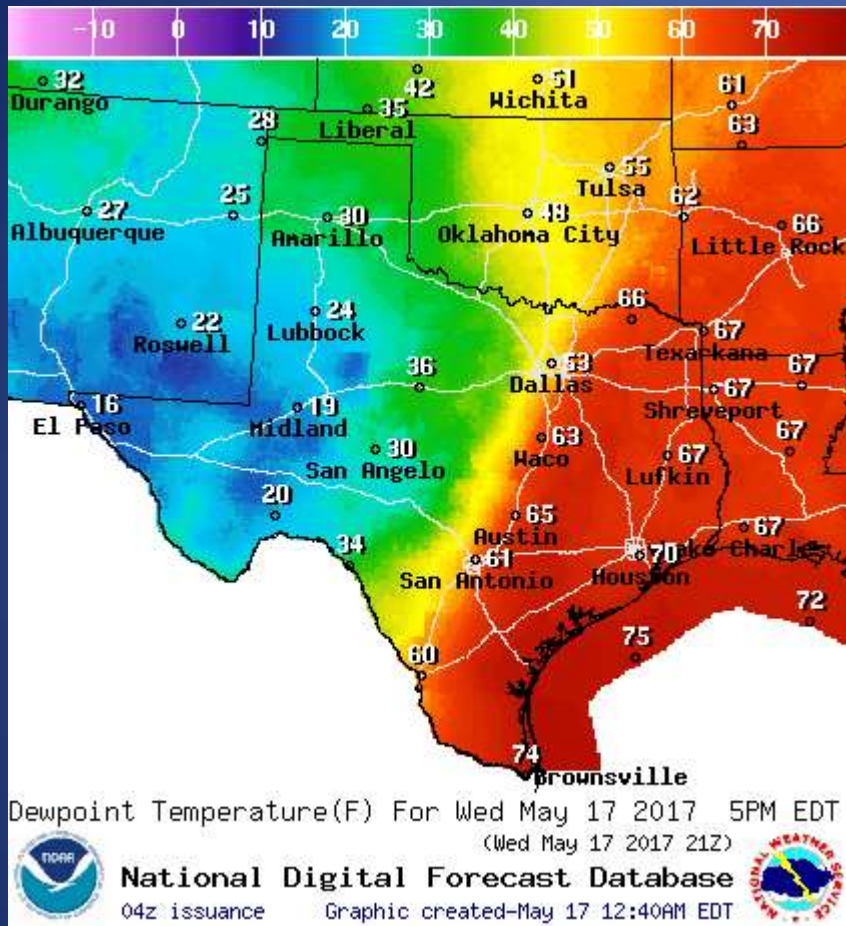


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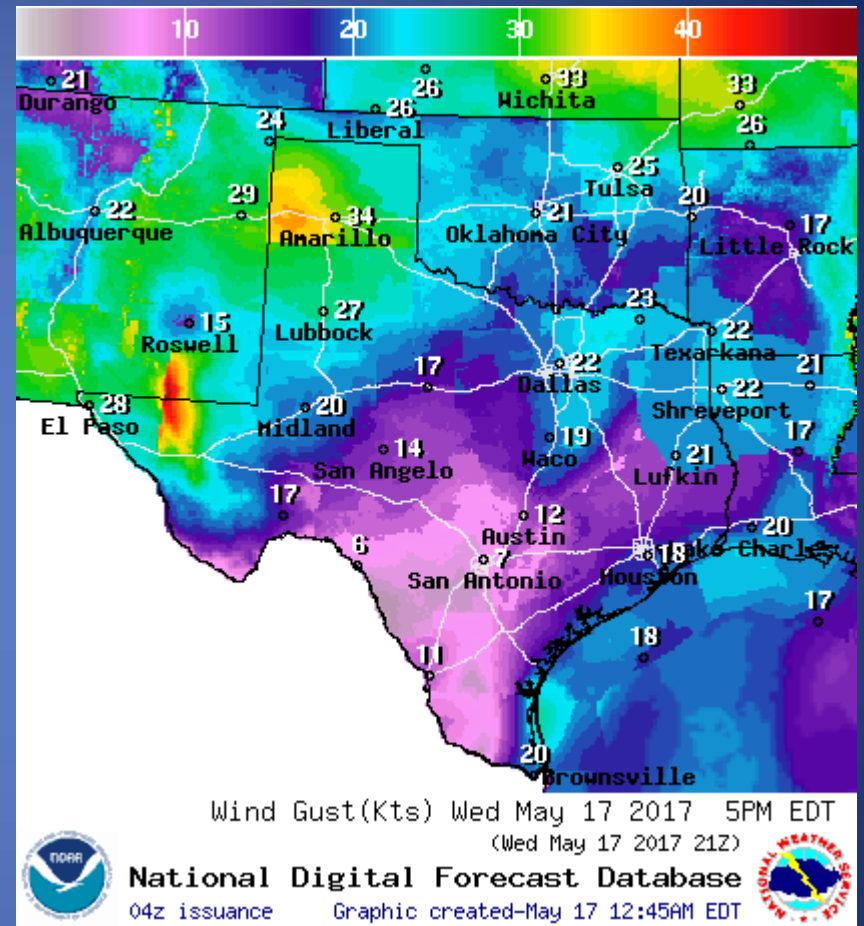


## Lows

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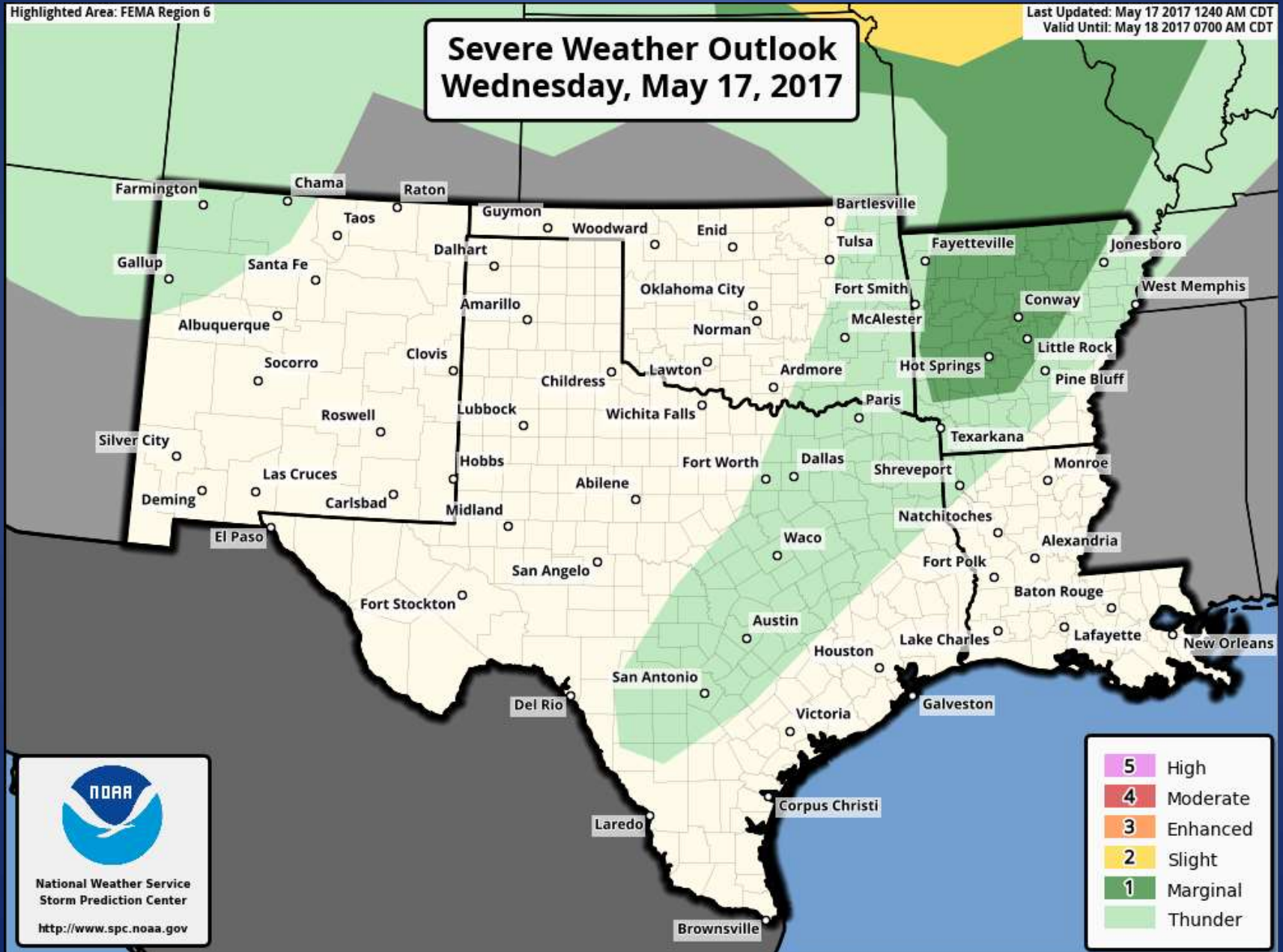


## Wind Speeds



## Gusts

# Hazardous Weather

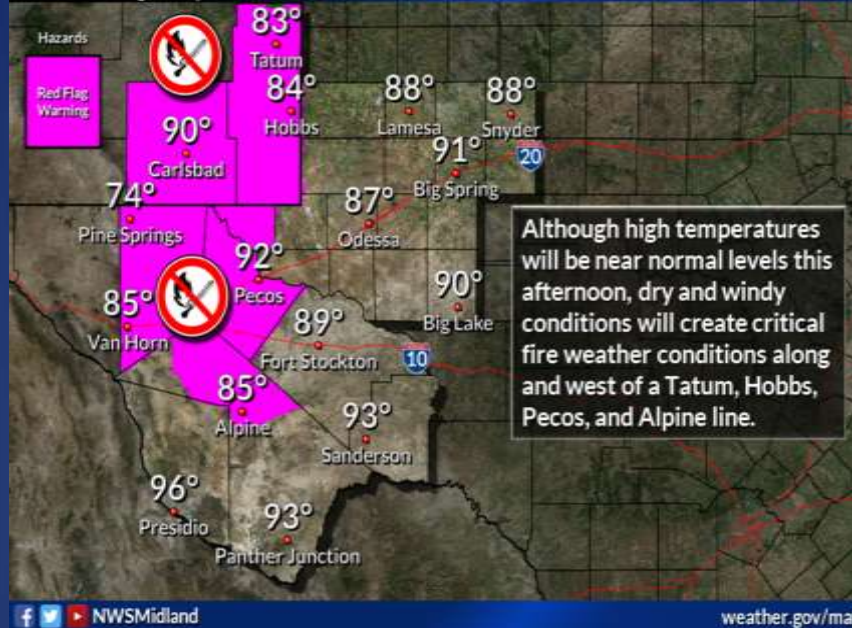


# Hazardous Weather

## Critical Fire Weather Today

Near Normal High Temperatures

Weather Forecast Office  
Midland/Odessa, TX  
Issued May 17, 2017 2:43 AM CT



Westerly winds will increase and become gusty along and west of a Tatum to Hobbs to Pecos to Alpine line by this afternoon. Therefore, a Red Flag Warning has been issued for these areas since it will be dry with high fire danger too. Temperatures will warm to near normal levels today.

## This Afternoon

National Weather Service Fort Worth

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms east of a Paris to Temple line, otherwise, becoming mostly sunny.

Highs in the 80s to lower 90s.

South winds 10 to 20 mph.



A low chance of showers and thunderstorms will linger into this afternoon east of a Paris to Temple line. Skies will become mostly sunny elsewhere. Highs will be in the mid 80s to lower 90s with south winds 10 to 20 mph.

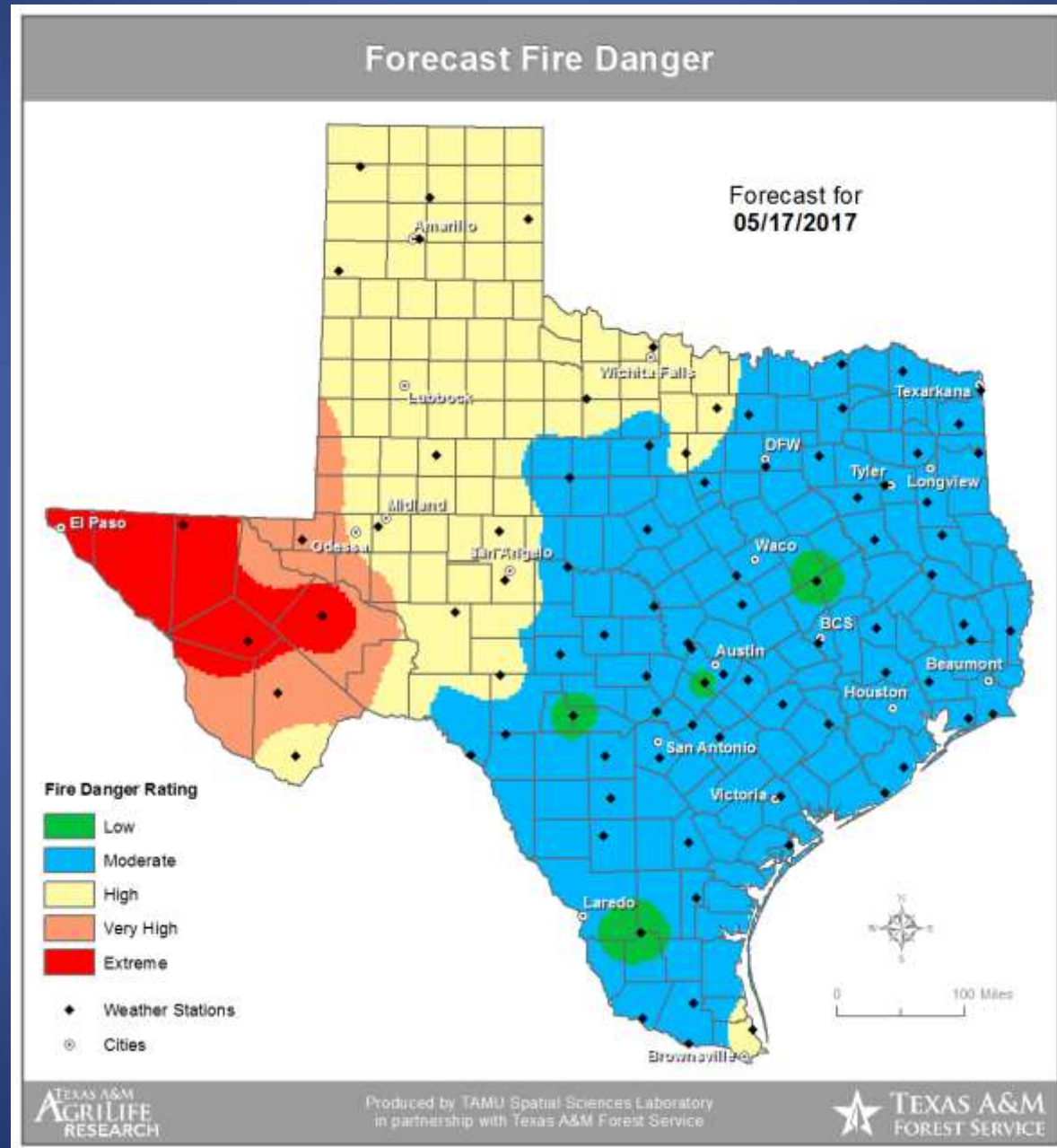
# Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/16/17	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Armstrong, Baylor, Borden, Carson, Childress, Collingsworth, Coke, Cottle, Crane, Dawson, Donley, Dickens, Ector, Foard, Fisher, Garza, Glasscock, Gray, Hall, Haskell, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Hansford, Hardeman, Howard, Irion, Kent, King, Knox, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Nolan, Ochiltree, Pecos, Roberts, Reagan, Moore, Scurry, Sterling, Stonewall, Taylor, Terrell, Tom Green, Upton, Wheeler, and Wilbarger Counties
05/16/17	Tornado Watch	Foard, Hardeman, and Knox Counties Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, King, Motley, Briscoe, Childress, and Hall Counties Armstrong, Carson, Collingsworth, Donley, Gray, Hansford, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Roberts, and Wheeler Counties
05/16/17	High Wind Warning	Culberson, Pecos, Loving, Reeves, Winkler, and Ward Counties
05/16/17	Tornado Warning Remains in Effect	Collingsworth and Ochiltree Counties
05/16/17	Tornado Warning	Collingsworth, Donley, Gray, Ochiltree, Reagan, Upton, and Wheeler Counties

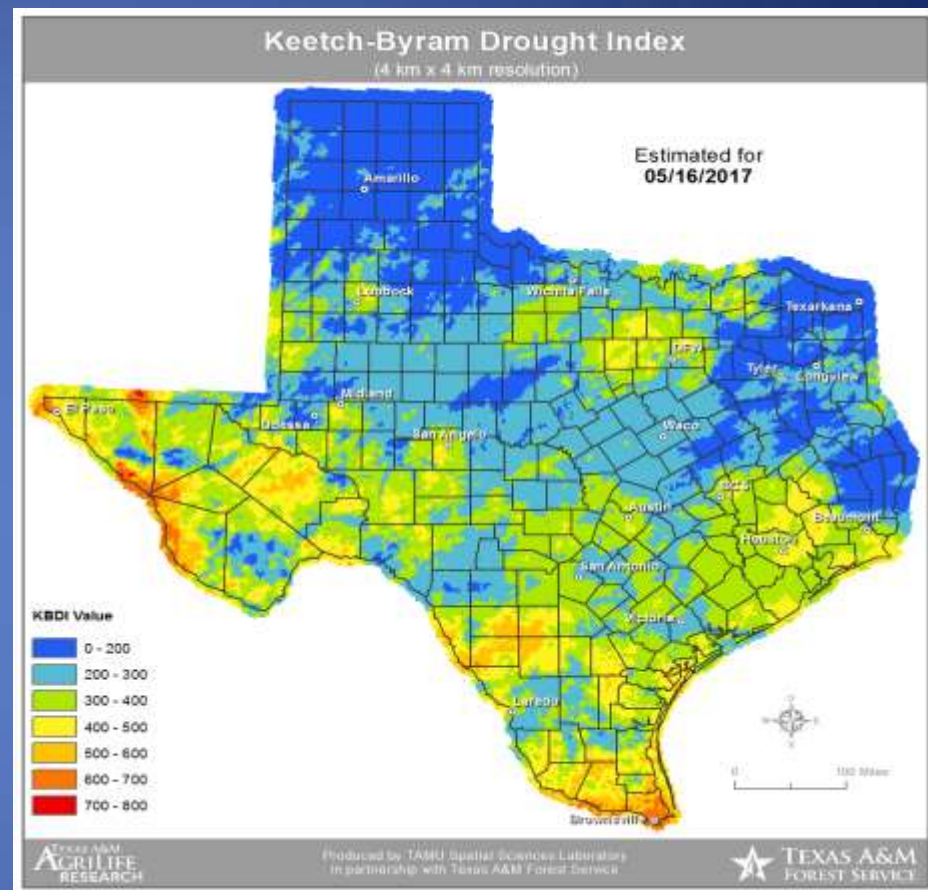
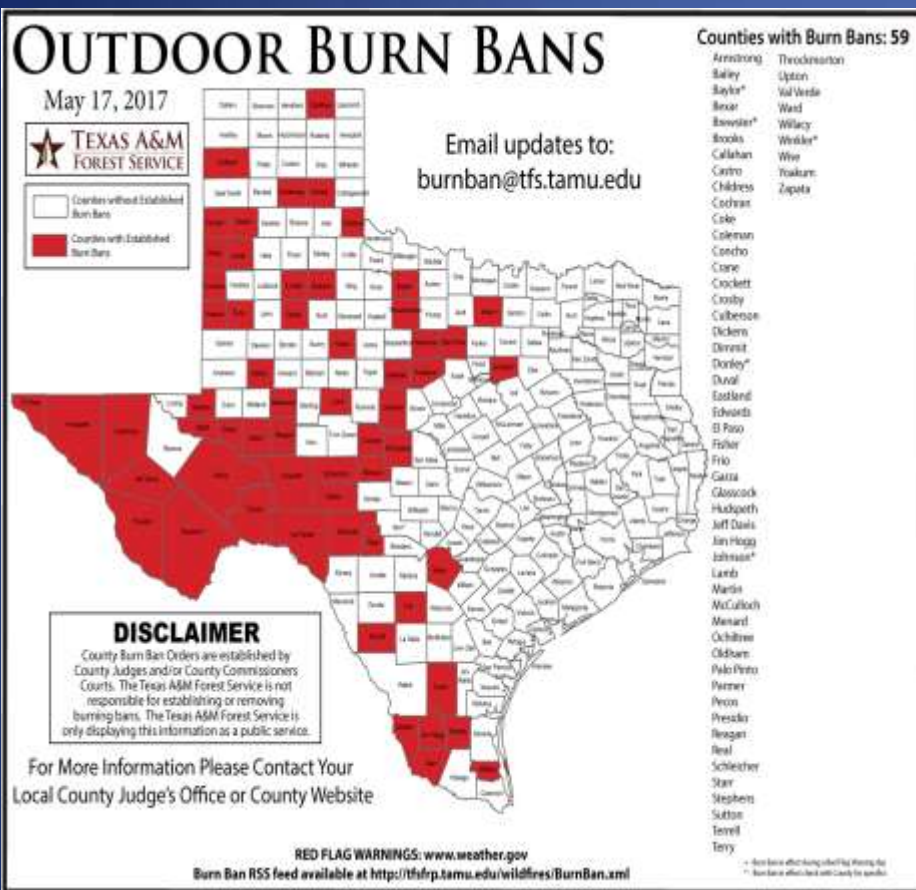
# Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/16/17	Flood Advisory	Foard, Knox, and Wilbarger Counties
05/17/17	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Clay, Crockett, Irion, Schleicher, and Tom Green Counties

# Fire Danger Forecast



# Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

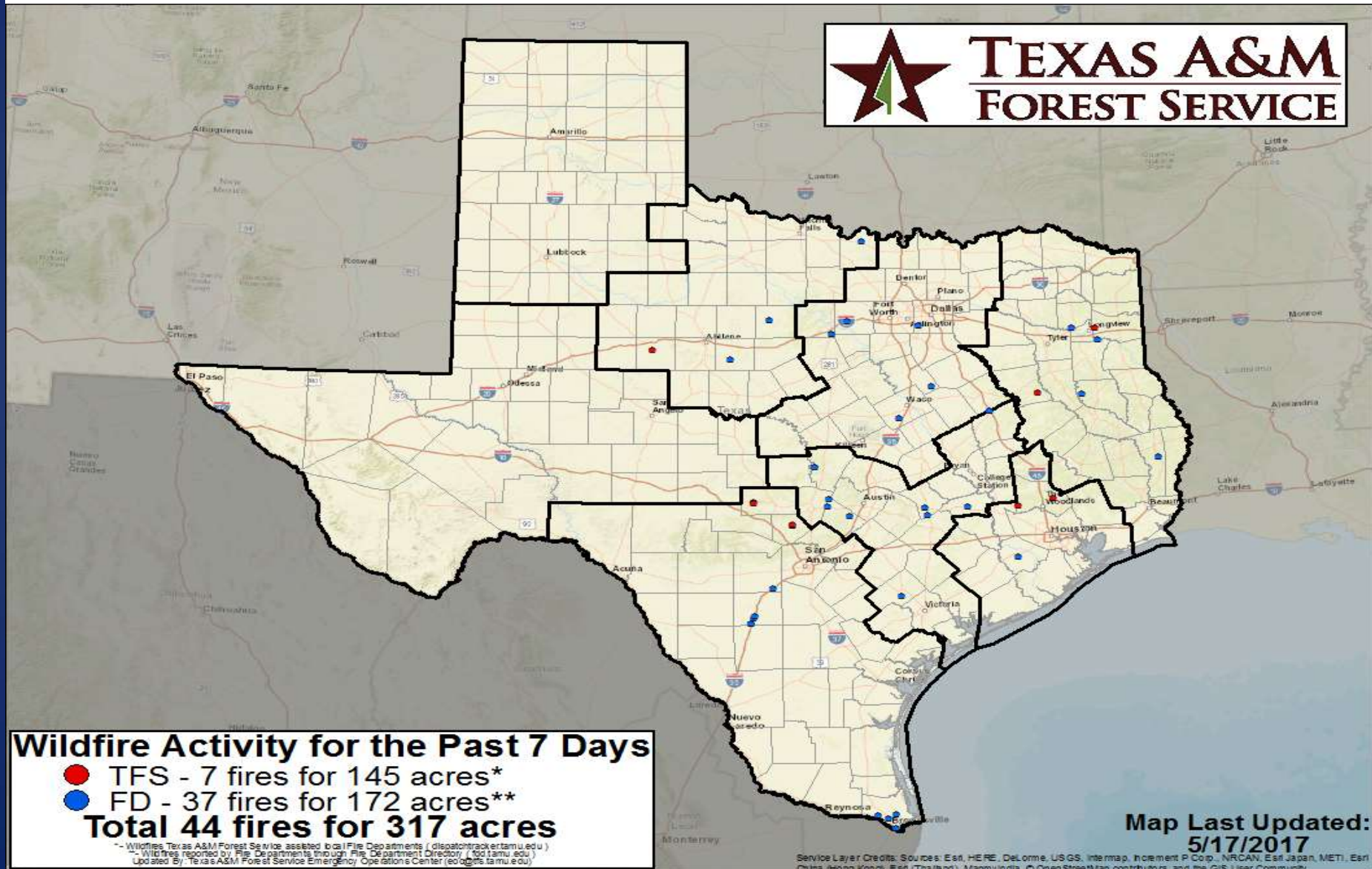


# Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/17/17	Red Flag Warning	Brewster, Culberson, Jeff Davis, Loving, Pecos, Reeves, Ward and Winkler Counties

# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 461 (no change) fires and 630,199 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 59 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 21 (+2) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
04/25/17	05/20/17	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Driftwood
05/04/17	06/24/17	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Bonham
05/06/17	05/27/17	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Hebbronville
05/15/17	05/17/17	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Houston
05/15/17	05/19/17	NFPA 1006 2008 Edition Trench Rescue Levels I and II Pro-Board Certification	H-504	Portland
05/15/17	05/26/17	HazMat Technician - Texas Commission on Fire Protection (TCFP) Certification	H-500	Allen
05/16/17	05/17/17	Event Security Planning for Public Safety Professionals	MGT-335	Weatherford

# Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
05/15/17	05/21/17	Irving/Dallas County	AT&T Byron Nelson Golf Tournament
05/16/17	05/18/17	Arlington/Tarrant County	Texas Rangers Home Baseball Game